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INTRODUCTION

This finding aid focuses on the papers of U.S. Senator Harlan Mathews (1927-) of Davidson County, Tennessee. Spanning the years 1992-1994, the papers contain information relating to the two years (1993-1994) which Senator Mathews served as one of Tennessee's senators in the 103rd Congress of the United States.

Items in the collection include appointments, attendance at roll call votes, correspondence, floor statements, legislation co-sponsorships, news releases, news service clippings, position papers, reports, Senate roll call votes, speeches, voting records, weekly columns by Senator Mathews, and several miscellaneous items.

The materials in this finding aid measures 3.5 linear feet. There are no restrictions on the materials. Single photocopies of unpublished writings in the Senator Harlan Mathews Papers, Addition, may be made for scholarly or individual research.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Senator Harlan Mathews Papers, Addition, containing approximately 900 items, span the period 1992-1994. The collection consists of appointments, correspondence, floor statements, news releases, news service clippings, reports, Senate roll call votes, speeches, voting records, weekly columns by Senator Mathews, and several miscellaneous items.

Much of the correspondence consists of responses by the Senate colleagues of Mathews on his official announcement of retirement from the Senate. Other correspondents include President Bill Clinton, cabinet members, and Governor Ned McWhirter of Tennessee.

The Senator Harlan Mathews Papers, Addition, supplement the Senator Harlan Mathews Papers, 1993-1994 (Accession Number 1996.031) already in the holdings of the Tennessee State Library and Archives.

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